

Substitute for Form 1449 A & B/PTO			Complete if Known		
<u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</u> <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>			Application Number	Not Yet Assigned	
			Confirmation Number	Not Yet Assigned	
			Filing Date	March 15, 2004	
			First Named Inventor	SHIBATA, Masatomo	
			Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned	
			Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	Q80440

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials ^a	Cite No. ¹	Document Number		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document
		Number	Kind Code ² (if known)		
LP		US 2003/0038302	A1	02-27-2003	Katsunori Yanashima, et al.
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials ^a	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document			Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Translation ⁴
		Country Code ²	Number ³	Kind Code ² (if known)			
LP		JP	2000-252217		09-14-2000	Sumitomo Electric Ind. Ltd	Abstract
		JP	2003-59835	A1	02-28-2003		

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials ^a	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city, and/or country where published.	Translation ⁴

Examiner Signature	Long Pham	Date Considered	8/1/05
--------------------	-----------	-----------------	--------

^aEXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or in the comment box of this document. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to indicate here if English language Translation is attached.